FOR the purpose of providing for the special admission to an institution of higher education of a student who has completed-a-certain-grade-in-school-and-who-has-a certain-combined-Scholastic-Aptitude-Test-score-er-a nationally-accepted-cellege-entrance-exam;--meets certain-standards;-and-providing-that-this-Act-decs-not affect-funding-of-a-secondary-school-in-which-the student-is-enrolled;-and-providing-that-the-student has completed a certain grade in school and who has a certain combined Scholastic Aptitude Test score or an equivalent score on a nationally accepted college entrance examination; and providing that this Act does not affect funding of a secondary school in which the student is enrolled-shall-be-eligible-fer-certain financial-aid.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Education Section 11-101 Annotated Code of Maryland (1978 Volume and 1979 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article - Education

11-101.

- (A) Each public institution of higher education shall accept for admission any graduate of an approved public high school:
- (1) Who is certified by his high school principal, based on standards of the State Board of Education, as qualified to pursue a course of study at the institution; or
- $\mbox{\ensuremath{\mbox{(2)}}}$ Who meets the admission standards of the institution.
- (B) (1) EACH PUBLIC INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION MAY ACCEPT, FOR SPECIAL ADMISSION ANY STUDENT WHO HAS:
 - (I) COMPLETED THE SEVENTH GRADE; AND

(11)--A-SCHOLASTIC-APTITUDE--TEST--COMBINED SCORE--OF--1,000--OR--AN--EQUIVALENT--SCORE--ON-A-NATIONALLY ACCEPTED-COLLEGE-ENTRANCE-EXAM+

(2)--THIS--SUBSECTION--DOES--NOT--AFFECT---PUBLIC FUNDING--FOR--THE--SECONDARY--SCHOOL-IN-WHICH-THE-STUDENT-IS ENROLLED: